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93-001 SCHEDULE OF FEES. The following fees have been set by the department, upon the recommendation of the board, by this regulation, to be paid as a condition of issuance of or renewal of a license and/or certificate.

93-001.01 LICENSED MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONER:

93-001.01A INITIAL LICENSURE FEE A license as a mental health practitioner issued on the basis of examination, or on the basis of experience as a mental health practitioner, the fee of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per year; and

<u>93-001.01A1</u> The actual cost of the mental health practice examination.

93-001.01B RECIPROCITY LICENSURE FEE A license as a mental health practitioner issued on the basis of a license or certificate issued in another jurisdiction, the fee of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per year.

93-001.01C PRO-RATED RENEWAL FEE If the application for a license as a mental health practitioner is filed within ninety (90) days prior to the biennial renewal date, and if the applicant chooses the option specified in 172 NAC 94, section 003.01A3, the additional fee of thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents (\$31.25) and the licensee assistance program fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

<u>93-001.01D RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a license as a mental health practitioner, the fee of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

<u>93-001.01E LATE RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a license as a mental health practitioner, who fails to pay the renewal fee on or before the expiration date of his/her license the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as a late charge, in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.01F REINSTATEMENT

<u>93-001.01F(a)</u> Less than 1 year For the reinstatement of a license as a mental health practitioner which has been expired for more than thirty (30) days but less than one (1) year the late fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

<u>93-001.01F(b)</u> More than 1 year For the reinstatement of a license as a mental health practitioner which has been expired for more than one (1) year the late fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.02 CERTIFIED MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST:

<u>93-001.02A INITIAL CERTIFICTATION FEE</u> A certificate as a marriage and family therapist, issued on the basis of examination, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00); and

<u>93-001.02A1</u> The actual cost of the Association of Marital and Family Therapy Regulatory Boards (AMFTRB) examination.

<u>93-001.02B RECIPROCITY CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a marriage and family therapist, issued on the basis of a license or certificate issued in another jurisdiction, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

93-001.02C PRO-RATED RENEWAL FEE A certificate as a marriage and family therapist, if the application is filed within ninety (90) days prior to the biennial renewal date, and if the applicant chooses the option specified in 0046.01F, the additional fee of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50).

<u>93-001.02D RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate to represent oneself as a marriage and family therapist, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

<u>93-001.02E LATE RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate as a marriage and family therapist, who fails to pay the renewal fee on or before the expiration date of his/her certificate, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as a late charge, in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.02F REINSTATEMENT

<u>93-002.02F(1)</u> Less than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a marriage and family therapist which has been expired for more than thirty (30) days but less than one (1) year the late fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

<u>93-001.02F(2)</u> More than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a marriage and family therapist which has been expired for more than one (1) year the late fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.03 CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR:

<u>93-001.03A INITIAL CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a professional counselor, issued on the basis of examination, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00); and

<u>93-001.03A1</u> The actual cost of the National Board of Certified Counselor's National Counselor Examination (NBCC/NCE).

<u>93-001.03B RECIPROCITY CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a professional counselor, issued on the basis of a license or certificate issued in another jurisdiction, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

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<u>93-001.03C PRO-RATED RENEWAL FEE</u> - A certificate as a professional counselor, if the application is filed within ninety (90) days prior to the biennial renewal date, and if the applicant chooses the option specified in 172 NAC 94, Section 004.01F, the additional fee of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50).

<u>93-001.03D</u> RENEWAL FEE For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate to represent oneself as a certified professional counselor, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

<u>93-001.03E LATE RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate as a professional counselor, who fails to pay the renewal fee on or before the expiration date of his/her certificate, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as a late charge, in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.03F REINSTATEMENT

<u>93-001.03F(1)</u> Less than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a professional counselor which has been expired for more than thirty (30) days but less than one (1) year the late fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

<u>93-001.03F(2)</u> More than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a professional counselor which has been expired for more than one (1) year the late fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.04 CERTIFIED MASTER SOCIAL WORKER:

<u>93-001.04A INITIAL CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a master social worker, issued on the basis of examination and providing mental health services, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00); applicants not providing mental health services, the fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per year; and

 $\underline{93\text{-}001.04\text{A1}}$ The actual cost of the American Association of State Social Work Boards (AASSWB) examination.

93-001.04B RECIPROCITY CERTIFICATION FEE A certificate as a master social worker, issued on the basis of a license or certificate issued in another jurisdiction and providing mental health services, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00); applicants not providing mental health services, the fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per year.

<u>93-001.04C PRO-RATED RENEWAL FEE</u> A certificate as a master social worker, if the application is filed within ninety (90) days prior to the biennial renewal date, and if the applicant chooses the option specified in 172 NAC 94, Section 004.01F and provides mental health services, the additional fee of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50); applicants not providing mental health services, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

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93-001.04D RENEWAL FEE For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate to represent oneself as a master social worker, the fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00); applicants not providing mental health services, the fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

<u>93-001.04E LATE RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate as a master social worker, who fails to pay the renewal fee on or before the expiration date of his/her certificate, the fee of twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars as a late charge, in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.04F REINSTATEMENT

<u>93-001.04F(1)</u> Less than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a master social worker which has been expired for more than thirty (30) days but less than one (1) year the late fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

<u>93-001.04F(2)</u> More than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a master social worker which has been expired for more than one (1) year the late fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.05 CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER:

<u>93-001.05A INITIAL CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a social worker, issued on the basis of education, the fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00).

<u>93-001.05B RECIPROCITY CERTIFICATION FEE</u> A certificate as a social worker, issued on the basis of a license or certificate issued in another jurisdiction, the fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) and the licensee assistance program fee of one dollar (\$1.00).

<u>93-001.05C PRO-RATED RENEWAL FEE</u> A certificate as a social worker, if the application is filed within ninety (90) days prior to the biennial renewal date, and if the applicant chooses the option specified in 172 NAC 94, Section 004.01F, the additional fee of eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$18.75) and the licensee assistance program fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

<u>93-001.05D RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate to represent oneself as a social worker, the fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) and the licensee assistance fee of two dollars (\$2.00).

<u>93-001.05E LATE RENEWAL FEE</u> For the renewal on a biennial basis of a certificate as a social worker, who fails to pay the renewal fee on or before the expiration date of his/her certificate, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) as a late charge, in addition to the renewal fee.

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<u>93-001.05F(1)</u> Less than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a social worker which has been expired for more than thirty (30) days but less than one (1) year the late fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

<u>93-001.05F(2)</u> More than 1 year For the reinstatement of a certificate as a social worker which has been expired for more than one (1) year the late fee of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) as a late charge in addition to the renewal fee.

93-001.06 PROVISIONAL LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION FEES:

<u>93-001.06A</u> For a provisional license as a mental health practitioner, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

<u>93-001.06B</u> For a provisional certification as a master social worker who is not applying for a provisional license as a mental health practitioner, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

93-001.07 OTHER FEES:

<u>93-001.067A CERTIFIED STATMENT</u> For a certified statement that the licensee or certificate holder is licensed or certified in this state, the fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), and for verification that a licensee or certificate holder is licensed or certified in this state, the fee of five dollars (\$5.00).

<u>93-001.067B DUPLICATE/REISSUED</u> For a duplicate or reissued original license or certificate, the fee of ten dollars (\$10.00).

<u>93-001.067C INACTIVE LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION FEE</u> By an applicant who places his/her license or certificate on inactive status, the fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00).

93-001.067D ADMINISTRATIVE FEE By an applicant whose application is rejected, an administrative fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) shall be retained and the balance of the application fee be returned to the applicant, except as provided in 172 NAC 93, 001.01A1, 001.02A1, 001.03A1, and 001.04A1.

THESE AMENDED RULES AND REGULATIONS and REASSIGNMENT OF A CHAPTER NUMBER, REPLACE THE FOLLOWING:

Title 172 Chapter 94, Section 14, Regulations Governing the Licensure of Mental Health Practitioners and the Certification of Marriage and Family Therapists, Professional Counselors, and Social Workers, effective October 26, 1996.

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